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In re Application of:

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For:	Method And Device For Manufacturing Brushes		

RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is responsive to the restriction notice dated May 2, 2006 in the above application.